

a4 Page 24, line 14, after "switch" insert --58, 60, 62, 64,

58a, 60a, 62a, or 64a--.

a5 Page 24, line 17, after "is" insert --reset to an OFF state,

that is,--.

Page 28, line 14, after the first occurrence of "and" insert --

cause the--.

In the Claims:

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1. (AMENDED) A powered adjustable chair comprising:
- a seat connected to a base for vertical movement with respect thereto and having a surface for supporting a patient;
  - a back forming part of said chair and secured [to said chair] proximate one edge of said seat, [and] said back having a surface for supporting a patient;
  - a powered motion mechanism operatively connected to at least one of said seat and ~~said back~~;
  - a first power supply connected to said powered motion mechanism for supplying power thereto at a first predetermined voltage;
  - a control electrically coupled to said powered motion mechanism for controlling the operation thereof, said control including a switch plate operatively connected to a microprocessor, said switch plate including a plurality of flat, tactile-feel membrane switches disposed on an outside surface of said seat back for allowing an operator to direct the operation of said control and to thereby also direct desired powered movement of said chair; and,